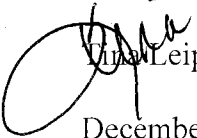


UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION
COMMISSION

TO: Dave Pratt, Assistant Director, Transportation Safety

FROM:  Tom Leipski, Transportation Specialist 3

DATE: December 23, 2011

SUBJECT: Docket TV-100812; Application for Permanent Authority

On May 10, 2010, Elmer M. Rodriguez, d/b/a Elmer's Express Delivery, filed Docket TV-100812 requesting permanent household goods authority.

The commission granted the company temporary authority subject to conditions pending a decision on its application for permanent authority. The company has operated under Household Goods Carrier Permit No. THG-63828, since May 20, 2010.

Under WAC 480-15-330, the commission will grant or deny an application for permanent authority after conducting a complete review of the application filings, supporting statements, reports, or other information necessary to determine fitness, public interest, and current or future public convenience and necessity.

Compliance staff worked with the company providing technical assistance during its temporary operations. Investigator Alan Dickson completed a Safety Compliance Review, a Household Goods Technical Assistance and Records Review Checklist. Investigator Dickson found the company in general compliance and on December 15, 2011, he recommended the applicant be considered for permanent authority.

The current provisional permit THG-63828 is in order as follows:

- Records Center does not have an annual report on file since the company wasn't issued authority until 5/10/10.
- Financial Services reports the company has paid appropriate regulatory fees.
- The commission does not have any outstanding penalty or other fine against THG-63828.
- Consumer Affairs does not have a pending consumer complaint.
- Transportation Safety does not have a pending compliance action.
- Company rep attended HHG training on June 30, 2010.

I recommend the commission grant TV-100812 without hearing and reissue permit. THG-63928 to HG-63928 to Elmer R. Rodriguez, d/b/a Elmer's Express Delivery, as unrestricted permanent authority to operate as a household goods carrier in the state of Washington.

Approved by

Date